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Sunday School Lesson

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Lesson for September 8

NEHEMIAH REBUILDING THE WALL OF JERUSALEM

GOLDEN TEXT—The people had a mind to work.—Nehemiah 4:6.

LESSON TEXT—Nehemiah 2:1-7:4.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Working Together.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Working Together.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Teamwork.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Co-operation in Religious Work.

In order to prepare to teach this lesson the teacher should master the contents of the book of Nehemiah.

Nehemiah was a cupbearer to the Persian king. While performing his official duty he learned of the distress of his brethren in Jerusalem. The walls of the city were broken down, the gates burnt, and the remnant of the captives were in great affliction. This news brought by his brethren greatly moved Nehemiah. He sat down and wept and mourned several days, fasting and praying before God. In answer to his prayer he was granted a leave of absence from the Persian court, and credentials from the king. He journeyed to Jerusalem and made a survey of the city by night without disclosing his purpose to anyone. Having thus obtained first-hand information, he called the representatives of the Jews together and said, "Let us build the walls of Jerusalem."

I. Preparation for the Building (chap. 3).

The division of labor in this project displayed Nehemiah's administrative ability. A wise distribution of labor makes difficult tasks easy. Observe some outstanding features of this great work:

1. Stress laid upon indifference (v. 5).

In administrative tasks it is proper that unfaithfulness should be pointed out as a warning to the unfaithful and encouragement to the faithful.

2. Help rendered by the women (v. 12).

Perhaps Shallum had no sons to aid him.

3. Stress laid upon earnestness of some (v. 20).

Recognition of fidelity will spur one to faithfulness.

4. Every one built over against his own house (vv. 10, 23, 28).

No incentive for exertion is quite so strong as that which concerns one's own family.

5. Certain guilds of men undertook certain work (vv. 8, 31, 32).

II. Hindrances Encountered (4:1-6:14).

1. Scoffing of Sanballat and Tobiah (4:1-6, cf. 2:19, 20).

The oppressors of God's servants frequently begin by hurling ridicule.

2. Conspiracy for a sudden attack (4:7-9).

When the enemy saw that the work was actually succeeding they changed from ridicule to an attempt to throw the workmen into a panic.

3. Conspiracy with the Jews (4:10-23).

They sought to hinder by inducing the Jews who were outside to discourage their brethren by the claim that the task was hopeless and that they were liable to sudden and secret attack.

4. Greed and oppression of the rich (5:1-13).

The Jews or that day, like the profiteers of our day, took advantage of the poor and oppressed them, so that they mortgaged their land and even sold their daughters into slavery.

5. Scheme to take Nehemiah's life (6:1-14).

When Sanballat and Tobiah failed in every other way they sought by craft to get Nehemiah away, that they might kill him.

III. The Wall Completed (6:15-7:4).

So energetically did they pursue their tasks that in fifty-two days the wall was completed. We may learn from this:

1. That though God's children are beset by enemies, they should not fear.

2. That when beset by enemies, we should pray (4:9).

Their faith was accompanied by wise precaution.

(a) They set a watch (4:9).

(b) Men were permitted to be with their families (4:13), and would thus fight better.

(c) Half worked and half watched, all armed for battle.

(d) They worked with sword in one hand (4:17).

(e) They slept in their clothes in readiness (4:23).

Prayer and faith are not slothful or inactive.

A Picture by Plato

Plato pictured the soul under the figure of a many-headed monster, a lion and a man, combined in one form The man represented the higher nature, the reason; the lion the passionate element; and the many-headed monster the lusts and appetites The picture is as true today as when first presented. The lion and many headed monster exists in every person. It can only be changed by the love of the Christ, by which the lion is made to be as a lamb.

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PAMPLIN

There were quite a number baptised at Elon Baptist Church Sunday a. m., as a result of the Carey Barker meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. White have returned home after a pleasant vacation.

Mrs. J. S. Dorsey and daughters, Virginia and Bettie, have returned home after a long visit to Oxford, Monroe and other places of interest in N. C.

Mrs. Wiley Richardson had as her guests, her mother, Mrs. J. J. Fore, and daughter, Mrs. Joe Cobbs, of Darlington Hgts.

The Woman's Missionary Society of Baptist Church met Wednesday. Subject for discussion was the "The Responsibility of Women" an interesting program was rendered.

Messrs. Henry and Will Booker and sister, Mrs. Buck Binford, attended the funeral of Mrs. Richard Booker in Lynchburg last Saturday. Mrs. Booker was spared many years having reached the age of 88 years.. She was the wife of the deceased Rev. Richard E. Booker, who was a faithful minister of the gospel for many years having spent a great part of his life as pastor of a group of churches in Campbell County. Mrs. Booker leaves to mourn her loss one daughter. Mrs. Janet Revely, of Lynchburg, and one son, Mr. J. P. Booker, of Mont Clair, N. J., and several step children. To these and other loved ones we extend our most heartfelt sympathy.

Mrs. N. A. Davis spent the week-end with her home folk.

Rev. W. B. Duling and children have returned from their vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Walker and Mrs. J. H. Hatch and sons, Jack and Walker, and Mrs. Lillie Moses were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Terry Thursday evening.

Mrs. J. H. Hatch and sons, who have spent their vacation with Dr. and Mrs. Walker returned to their home in Norfolk Saturday morning.

Mrs. Ernest Bateman, of Lynchburg, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Davis, has returned home.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Brooks is very ill in Lynchburg. She has been sick for quite a while.

Hon. St. George Tucker passed through our village Monday. We are always glad to welcome him.

BENT CREEK

Farmers are busy cutting tobacco, some say the crop will be short in this section. Corn is not so good.

Mr. G. M. Dixon, of Somerville, Ala., who has been spending the last two months with Mrs. G. W. Phelps left Sunday. He will spend several days with his sister, Mrs. R. M. Brown, near Shipman, before leaving. His sister, Mrs. Fannie Dixon, is visiting Mrs. Brown this week.

Messrs. Smith, Hunter and Dixon and others, who are working near Richmond came home for labor day.

The farm formerly owned by E. R. Abbitt at Appomattox recently purchased by Geo. F. Langran and J. R. Marsh will be known in the future as the White Flint Poultry Farm and Mrs. Langran and boys have taken possession and are well pleased with their new home.

The moonshine business seems to be some what on the decline here since the revenue officers are coming around. We hope the good work will keep on.

WOODLAND

School opens soon. Every one is busy getting ready, so children will be ready to go and not loose time on account of crops.

Misses Virginia Woodson, of Farmville S. T. C., Celene Woodson, of Nashville, Tenn., and Dorothy Woodson, of Harrisonburg S. T. C., have returned to their respective homes.

Miss Hamner Coleman and two friends, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coleman.

Mrs. J. L. Harvey, of Dillwyn, Mrs. Morris,of Richmond, and Mrs. W. L. Coleman visited in the home of W. W. Woodson Sunday. Mrs. Berkley Nash returned with her baby to Lynchburg to live. She has spent the past year with her father, W. W. Woodson.

Miss Mildred Marshall has returned home from her position to go to school. Mr. Herman Marshall spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Marshall. Week-end visitors in this home were the Misses Williams, of Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Puckett, of Lynchburg, were week-end visitors in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Puckett.

Mr. J. L. Driscoll and Mr. W. W. Driscoll had as their guests on Sunday relatives from Penn.

Mr. Willie Marshall is at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. G. Cheatham.

ROCKS NEWS

Misses Virginia and Dorothy Ransom, of Norfolk, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. S. M. Ransom.

Misses Clara and Rachel Marsh, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end with their parents here.

Mrs. Nora Meadows, of Roanoke, was to see Mr. Jim Ransom and Mrs. Laura Roach this week.

Mrs. Lockie Moore, of W. Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson.

Mr. A. A. Baldwin with his nephew, Mr. W. A. Baldwin and family, of Tenn., were in Norfolk, Va., for a short while last week.

Mrs. Nellie Roach and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Inge, this week.

Mrs. Lizzie Robinson, of Littleton, N. C., and Mrs. L. M. Southall, of Pamplin, visited C. J. and O. C. Paulette last week.

[Too late for last week.]

STONEWALL

Tobacco is fairly good in this section—farmers are busy cutting.

Mrs. G. A. Jacobs and children, of Richmond, are spending this week with Mrs. Jacob's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stratton. Mr. Jacobs visited Mrs. Jacob Sunday nite

Mr. H. G. Cobb, of Farmville, visited his sister, Mrs. Clayton T. Drinkard and Mr. Drinkard Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Carson and son, Earl, of Pittsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carson last week. Mrs. Carson and her guests spent Thursday in Bedford City.

Mrs. J. M. Street and son, Davis, of Lowesville, were dinner guests of Mrs. Parks Jennings Friday. Miss Alice Street accompanied them home after being the guests of Miss Verna Harding.

Mrs. A. F. Drinkard visited relatives and friends around Hebron last week and attended the revival.

Rev. Charles Anderson conducted a very successful meeting at Hebron church last week. There were several additions to the church by letter and baptism.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alvis' Sunday guests included Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Alvis and little daughter, Jacquelin, of Richmond: Mrs. J. M. Street and son and daughter, of Lowesville.

Bert Stratton spent Monday in Bluefield, W. Va.,

Mrs. E. H. Carson, Mrs. C. M. Stratton, Jr., and daughters, Louise and Fay, and J. E. Carson, Jr., were dinner guests of Mrs. C. E. Carson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Stratton and daughter, Margaret Bruce of Greensboro, N. C., have concluded a visit with the former's parents, Mrs. E. M. Stratton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Drinkard and G. S. Drinkard, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Drinkard.

Miss Mary andJean Anderson spent the week-end with Miss Irene Spencer in Lynchburg. Miss Spencer returned home with them Sunday for a week's visit.

Misses Elwyn Anderson and Esther Pugh, of Phenix, were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Anderson last week. Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Anderson, Mrs. Addie Routen Tanner, Mrs. Dunkley Canter and son, Bobbie, accompanied Misses Anderson and Pugh home Saturday for the day and Mr. H. N. Anderson returned with Mr. Anderson for the week-end.

Mrs. Wilbur Stratton visited relatives in Lynchburg thefirst of the week.

Mrs. S. E. Anderson entertained for Mr. Anderson on his 61st birthday last Wednesday evening, the guests included his nieces and nephews mostly, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stratton and children, of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Seay Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, of Lynchburg.

[Too late for last week.]

To the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Virginia.
In the matter of
S. T. Haggerty, In Bankruptcy
To the Creditors of above-named Bankrupt:
Notice is hereby given that the above named Bankrupt has been adjudicated, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office in Lynchburg, Va., on Sept. 16th, at 10:30 o'clock, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
LEON GOODMAN,
Special Referee in Bankruptcy.

A. H. CLEMENT
Attorney-at-Law
Appomattox, Va.

Run-Down

"About seven years ago, I was all run-down, worn-out and just never felt good," says Mrs. Harry Cantrell, of Cape Girardeau, Mo. "A chair would be more welcome any time than my work.

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GIANT STRIDES MADE IN AIR TRANSPORT

Progress in 1929 to Excel Three Years' Total.

Washington.—The development of the aeronautics and air transport industry during the three years' life of the aeronautics branch of the Department of Commerce has been "among this country's outstanding achievements," Secretary of Commerce Lamont declared recently in surveying the present state of development of the industry.

"With the increasing interest being shown in this subject by the general public, there is every reason to believe that the immediate future will bring forth even greater accomplishments," he added.

Secretary Lamont predicted "the foundations have been laid for a great transportation system over which swift aerial carriers will bear their cargoes of mail, express and passengers to every corner of the globe."

Outlook for Big 1929 Record.

A statistical estimate of the condition of the industry appended to Secretary Lamont's statement indicated that if the present rapid growth in air transport operations continues during the remainder of the year, the operations for 1929 will exceed the total for the last three years.

The report estimated that the mileage flown by air transport operators for the first half of 1929 would total 8,000,000 miles as against 10,500,000 for all of 1928, 5,570,489 for 1927 and 4,818,057 for 1926.

The average of miles flown daily by air transport operators for the first half of the year, estimated to be 70,000 miles, is almost three times as great as the average for all of 1928, which was 25,000, more than four times the average of 16,083 miles for 1927 and almost seven times the average of 10,330 miles for 1926.

Thirty Thousand Miles of Airways.

The total length of the airways network, estimated now to be 30,000 miles, has jumped from a total of 16,667 miles at the close of 1928; 8,121 miles at the close of 1927, and 8,404 miles at the close of 1926. Ten thousand miles of airways, or one-third of the total, are lighted, as compared with 6,988 at the close of 1928; 4,408 at the close of 1927, and 2,041 at the end of 1926.

The greatest increases were shown for the income-producing activities of air transport companies. It was estimated that 40,000 passengers were carried during the first six months of 1929, as against 20,000 in all of 1928, 8,679 in 1927, and 5,572 in 1926. Total mail carried was computed at 3,400,000 pounds, as against 4,091,210 pounds in 1928, 1,654,165 in 1927, and 810,855 in 1926. Express volume was fixed at 1,200,000, as against 2,000,000 in 1928.

There are now 45 companies operating air transport lines, compared to 37 at the close of 1928, 19 at the close of 1927, and 14 at the close of 1926. They have 400 airplanes in service, an increase from 300 at the close of 1928, 128 at the close of 1927, and 69 at the close of 1926.

Visitors Wreck Monkey's Nerves in St. Louis Zoo

St. Louis, Mo.—The seasonal epidemic of nervous breakdowns among the monkeys of the St. Louis zoo is approaching.

Watching the antics of human beings through the bars of their cages all day is very distressing to the nerves of the monkeys, according to the magazine of the Zoological society. Every year, in summer, especially when the primate house of the zoo, several of the more hypersensitive monkeys collapse and give way to all sorts of complexes and mental ills.

The victims are sent to a "rest house," where the only human beings they have to look at are the keepers who feed them. Once a year all the monkeys in the zoo take their vacations in the rest house.

Gem-Eating Ostriches Lure Diamond Hunters

Washington.—The hatching of 75 diamonds in the crews of two ostriches killed by hunters in the southern part of the Kalahari desert in South Africa has started a new industry, "hunting ostriches for diamonds," Samuel H. Day, trade commissioner at Johannesburg, has informed the Department of Commerce. One bird produced 53 diamonds and the other 17, all of exceptional quality, it is reported. These ostriches formerly roamed the Namaqualand district, where rich alluvial diamond deposits are said to exist, and, having an eye for shining stones, included diamonds in their diet.

Gold Fish Production Almost Million Dollars

Washington.—Nearly a million dollars worth of gold fish were produced in the United States last year, the Commerce department announces. The output of hatcheries numbered 21,500,000 fish.

The gold fish industry had its inception in this country in 1878, when Rear Admiral Daniel Amen presented to the bureau of fisheries a number of fish he had brought from Japan. From that small beginning the propagation of gold fish has developed into one of the foremost fish-farming industries.

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SONAL MENTION

W. E. Agee and friend, d Whitlow, were re- sts of Mr. W. A. Agee.

David Caldwell spent k-end with home people

Pitzer Gills visited his r Mrs. Pittman, in d last week.

Carolyn Willis, of Fred- burg, was the guest of ane Burke last week.

Alfred O'Brien, who been ill in a Roanoke hos- r several months is now e and is improving.

Annie Laurie Moore re- home Friday from W. ere she visited relatives.

R. C. Moore and child- have been staying at mmer home in Amherst e time have returned to ome here.

and Mrs. Havilah Bab- and Mrs. Hudson Cheat- motored to Richmond week.

Sale—4 steers, 1 bull work horse or will trade tle.

E. L. THOMAS, omattox, Va., R. F. D. 2

nesday, September 4th, ppomattox Chapter U. D. make a pilgrimage to Lee Shrine at Lexington, nia.

k Blackwell and family Mrs. Spiggle and two n came up from New- ews for the week-end and Mrs. Blackwell ir latter's old home in s week.

rs. John Robertson and s Robertson and wives d their old home at Spout on a visit from Pitts- ocated at Detroit and ster at Lorain, O.

re will be prayer meet- the home of Homsey h Saturday, Aug. 31, 8 led by Mrs. Cora John- d Mrs. G. W. Harris, also hom eof Mrs. Ann R. m Sunday, Sept 1st, at p.m., by Billy Sunday

Gray Hound Dog—Red white ring around neck, legs, blaze face, male. seen at Bryant's Shop, ngham County on Aug. Please advise W. J. LAND, Appomattox, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McKisic family and Mrs. Earle Tal- and baby, all of W. Va., siting at the home of Mr. Mrs. G. W. Lewis, Mrs.Mc- e and Mrs. Tolbott are the rs. Mrs. G. W. Lewis. her daughter.

re are no cases of in- ile paralysis reported in county, but our Board of h will keep a shap look- ase coming from in- places. There hap- d to be about 1500 ne- es here on a picnic last week—coming from Roanoke, nchburg and other places.

Oakland Farm, the home of Misses Anna and Nina Jones, was the scene of the reunion of the Jones and Hunter families last week. Among the guests were: Dr. H. E. Jones and Mr. and E. Hunter, of Roanoke; Mrs. M. G. Willis and children and Burton Dunn, of Fredericksburg; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunter, of High Point, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hunter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, of Keysville, Mrs. Herbert Priddy, of Keysville, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Thomas, of Richmond. The reunion was held in honor of the youngest member of the family, Duval Washington Hunter, Jr., aged three months.

Mr. Wilbur McDearmon is visiting his parents.

Mr. Richard Lawson has returned from a trip to Virginia Beach.

Mrs. Elliott Cheatham returned to her home in Florida Tuesday.

Our colored people are holding a great meeting at Promise Land this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanenkrat, who have been on a visit to their sons in Pittsburg, have returned home and will remain during the present winter.

Sen. S. L. Ferguson is away this week with the State officials visiting state institutions.

Mrs. Jacquelin Newbill, of Richmond, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. L. Gayle.

Mr. Millard Parrish and Mr. Paul Drinkard were visitors in Bluefield last week.

Miss Ellen Wilson is visting her aunt, Mrs. Blake, at the home of B. G. Anderson.

Mrs. Rachel O'Brien and family moved to Lynchburg this week.

Mrs. R. A. T. Clement and Mr. Billy Clement, of Newport News, are visiting in town this week.

Mrs. Morris Pendleton, of Mt. Airy, N. C., has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. E. Gills, for several days.

Mrs. Bessie James, who has been visiting Mrs. Paul Jones and other friends at Sheppards, is now the guest of Mrs. H. P. Gills at Marion, Va.

For Rent—7 rooms, new range, city water, lights and bath. House recently remodeled—very low rent.

F. DAVID,
Appomattox, Va.
8-29-2t

Mrs. F. L. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Morris and daughter, Thelma, attended the merchants convention in Richmond last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith, who were visitors in the home of the former's parents, have returned home.

Dr. George Braxton Taylor, of Hollins, formerly of Appomattox, was a visitor in town Saturday.

Mr. C. A. Hancock and daughter, Miss Virginia, arrived home Saturday, after a stay of several weeks in Huntington, West, Va.

Misses Willie Guthrie Anderson and Cecil Connor are visiting in the Jennings home at Hurtsville.

The W. M. S. of New Hope Church is giving a lawn party Saturday, August 31, beginning at 4 o'clock at Vera.

Mrs. L. S. Harvey, of Campbell Co., has returned home after spending some time with

Master Vernon Bailey, who has been spending the summer vacation with his aunt is returning to his home in Bluefield, West Va.

Prof. and Mrs. Johndroe, of Boston, are visiting relatives in the county. Misses Kate and Lucille O'Brien entertained at bridge in Mrs. Johndroe's honor Monday.

The officers of the Appomattox Chapter of U. D. C. met Tuesday afternoon at the home of the President, Mrs. N. A. Wagers, for the purpose of entering a request that the government establish a park at the Surrender Grounds.

Misses Lillian, India, Reba, Kelly and brother, John Gilmer, of Bristol, Tenn., were Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. D. E. Caldwell.

Mrs. W. D. Browning, of Richmond, spent the week end with Mrs. Eddie Caldwell. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Davis were also recent guests in this home.

Mrs. J. F. Harvey has returned home after visiting for sometime in Ohio, North Carolina and Va.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Rosen, of Buckingham, visited their brother, Clarence Agee, Sunday. The many friends of Clarence are glad to see him home again improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Robertson and daughter, Lee, of Detroit, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Robertson, of Lorain, Ohio, are visiting in the home of Mr. J. H. Robertson this week.

Eugene Carson has just been notified here that he has been selected as the outstanding club boy of the state and will go with Miss Dorothy Short, of Wythe county to represent Virginia at the International School for training community leaders at Springfield, Mass.

Miss Beatrice Garrison, Miss Althea Penticost and Mr. R. H. Penticost, of Memphis, Tenn., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cole. Mrs. J. T. Cole accompanied them on a motor trip back to Memphis, where she will spend sometime with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Penticost.

PAMPLIN

The Pamplin pastors are away on their vacation. Rev. Lipscomb preached in the M. E. pulpit Sunday night and his sermon was much enjoyed.

Aug. seems to be the month for vacations and many of our people have been away and many visitors are in town. The social calendar is also full.

Mrs. T. N. Ransom entertained at a dinner party on Tuesday. The guest list included Mrs. C. R. North, of Lynchburg, Mrs. R. R. Davis, Mrs. Lillie Moses, Mrs. H. T. Terry, Mrs. R. D. Baldwin, Mrs. Taylor. Other recent guests of Mrs. Ransom were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis and family, of Lynchburg, Mrs. Henry Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lipscomb.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Steine and daughter, of Lynchburg, were recent guests of Mrs. R. D. Baldwin.

Misses Mary Beale andEmily Beale were joint hostesses Monday at a party held at the home of Mrs. E. L. Paulette. Those present were: Mrs. R. D. Baldwin, Mrs. Peterson, Miss Lee Rice, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Rosa Franklin, Miss Kate Franklin, Mrs. P. H. Estes, Mrs. Jack Thornton and Mrs. Willis Ligon. A delightful ice course was served.

Mrs. E. E. Walker and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Hatch, entertained at a six o'clock dinner last Wednesday. Those enjoying their hospitality were: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Harvey, Mrs. Leslie Thornhill and Mrs. H .T. Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Harvey left for Washington, N. C., Tuesday.

Miss Elizabeth Wall, of Richmond, is the guest of Miss Merle Davis.

Miss Donizelle George is visiting her sister Mrs. Tom Pugh.

Mrs. C. E. Massey, Mrs. E. E. Walker and Mrs. J. H. Hatch spent Sunday in Lynchburg.

Miss Manie Inge has returned from a visit to Wilson, Va.

Miss Trixie Murphy, of Suffolk, who has been visiting Misses Illene McClenny and Elizabeth Gilliam, has returned to her/home.

Mrs. W. T. Cunningham has entertained many visitors in her hospitable home during August.

The Bible Study Class met in the home of Mrs. Taylor Inge Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Hatch led the meeting in a most interesting way basing remarks on the last five chapters of John. An interesting program was rendered. The hostess assisted by her daughter, Miss Manie Inge, served delightful refreshments.

The recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Davis were: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Inge, Mrs. Ernest Bateman and Miss Bucks.

Miss Wilsie Thornton and Mrs. F. H. Lukin entertained a number of their friends at bridge last Wednesday. Mrs. Leslie Thornhill, of Cleveland, being the honoree.

Miss Mary Brightwell had a bridge party on Monday night.

Mr. Hamner Moses, of Tri-State College, Angola, Ind., is at home. His many friends are proud to know that Hamner brought his diploma with him.

We understand that Mr.Henry Booker has sold out the soda fountain to Mr. Roy Moses. This goes into effect Sept. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Booker and daughter, Billy, of N. Y., were recent guests of Mrs. Sallie Booker.

Mr. Henry Booker was called to the bedside of his grandmother, Mrs. Lou Booker, of Lynchburg, who is extremely ill. She is 88 yrs. old.

Those visiting in the Southall home are Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Robertson, Catheryne and Jean Robertson, of Richmond, Va., Miss Vada Southall, of Clarksburg, W. Va., Mrs. Clemice Terry and Billie Acree, of Richmond, Mr. E. C. Bingham, of Miss., and Mrs. H. M.Robinson, of Littleton, N. C.

Miss Elaine McDearmon has recently entertained quit a number of her friends at a series of bridge parties.

FOREST VIEW

The good refreshing rains have made everything look so much better.

Some of the tobacco is being cut and hobsed, while the other is growing well.

The Central Church baptizing took place on the third Sunday afternoon, there were ten or twelve candidates for baptism.

Mrs. J. E. Martin, of Roanoke, and Miss Anne Martin of Petersburg, after spending last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Woolridge, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Simms and two children, of Lynchburg, spent last Saturday nite and Sunday in the home of R. W. Martin.

Mr. Edd Fore, Mr. and Mrs. M. Padgett and little son, Mrs. Edd Ferguson and daughter, Annie, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson, of Victoria, Mr. Boon Driskoll, Mr. Krouse, of Richmond, Mr. St.John, of Charlotte C. H., have been recent visitors in the home of Stephen Fore.

It is with sad regret we learn of the death of Mrs. Emma Godsey which took place at the home of her niece, Mrs. John St.Clair in Roanoke. She was brought down and laid to rest last Friday in Central cemetery by the side of her husband who preceeded her to the grave several years ago. We extend to the family our most heartfelt sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lee, of Wesley Chapel, spent last Sunday in the home of R. W. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Marshall spent last Sunday with her father, Jim Caldwell near Appomattox.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown during Illness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. B. D. Ferguson.

MRS. W. T. CHILDERS and
MRS. G. E. LEFEW and Brothers.

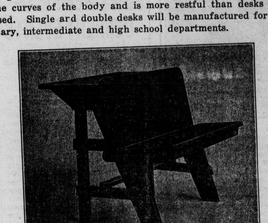
SCHOOL DESK FACTORY AT APPOMATTOX

A Large Plant To Be Engaged Entirely in Manufacturing Wood Desks and Benches

Following the industrial activity of Appomattox in locating the new garment and battery factories, comes another manufaturing enterprise—this time a product of one of our local business men—Ned A. Wagers, who has invented a different type of school desk, to be known as Wagers Practical School Desk, and will produce in large quantities at his lumber yard in the center of town. One building will be enlarged for the painting and shipping departments. Three or four additional workmen will be employed at once and others will be added as the enterprise gets under full headway.

It is the intention of Mr. Wagers to develop a new school desk field, producing and selling a beautifully finished wooden desk at a popular price. Orders now on file total several hundred and production will start as soon as the new woodworking machinery is installed, which will require about one week.

Several prominent school officials of Virginia have pronounced the desk to be the best and most practical on the market. While not unusual in appearance all points of stress have been reinforced; the seat, back and top are made of tongued and grooved material; the seat and back conform to the curves of the body and is more restful than desks now used. Single ard double deaks will be manufactured for primary, intermediate and high school departments.



The particular features emphasized in the attractive adversising folders are appearance, restfulness, economy and absence of squeaks and groans. Other features include—not a screw or bolt or a nut can be loosened, combination brace and seat stop arm, and hammer locked bolts produce almost permanent rigidity.

A patent has been applied for and prospects for a thriving business are exceptionally bright. Church pews, book cases, tables and kindergarten chairs will also be manufactured.

'Round Home

by CHAS. S. KINNISON

The Old Taffy Pullin'

Who can remember the old "taffy pullin' "
We all used to go to in days past and gone?
And who can recall the old-fashioned "woolin' "
We gave to the girls as the evening wore on!
And don't you remember the one you ran
after—
And the big funny bow that she had in
her hair?
And still don't you hear the shouts and
the laughter—
And still don't you picture the gang
that was there?

And ho, for the taffy that clung to your fingers,
And ho, for the fun we had pullin' it, too!
The memory of it still fancifully lingers
While all of my playmates pass by in review.
And ho, for the stars that above us were gleamin'
As out in the moonlight the candy was made—
The very same moonlight in which I am dreamin',
Tonight, of the old-fashioned games that we played!

We tugged at the taffy until it was brittle,
At least that's the way that it should have been done,
But if it stayed sticky, that mattered but little—
The candy itself was the least of the fun,
The taffy was nothing compared to the kisses
(Nor is it sweet kisses of candy, I mean)
The kisses we stole from the sweet little misses
Beat all of the taffy man ever has seen.

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Wealthy Man Cuts Do. Moderate Means.

St. Louis, Mo.—Giving away a fortune has provided happiness in the declining years of life for Robert S. Brookings, of this city. Thirty-three years ago Mr. Brookings was a wealthy man. Today he has only a moderate income—because he believes a man can enjoy money more by spending it wisely than by hoarding it.

Mr. Brookings is now seventy-nine years old.

The philanthropist began his business career as a shipping clerk at a salary of $25 a month, which was just enough to pay for his room and board. He was promoted time after time until he was high in the employ of a large manufacturing business operated by Samuel Cupples, in St. Louis.

Just 33 years ago Mr. Brookings and Mr. Cupples held one of the strangest conferences in history—the former asking his employer just how was the best way of getting rid of all his money except what he would need to support himself.

The ultimate result of that conference was that Mr. Brookings has organized three institutions for study and research in problems of government, developed a tottering little college into an institution of world-wide fame, Washington university, and devoted much of his time and money to patriotic service to his country. There are hundreds upon hundreds of homes in St. Louis today which are more luxurious than his. But he is happy!

Says Garden of Eden Was in South Africa

New York.—The cradle of mankind, the spot where man came into being as a new species and from which he spread throughout the world, can now be placed with fair assurance in South Africa, it was announced recently by Horne W. Pond, assistant curator of Logan museum, Beloit, Wis., who returned on the French liner De Grasse from an extensive exploration of prehistoric sites in Algeria.

Pond brought back skeletons and parts of skeletons of 13 individuals, two of whom he is convinced lived more than 50,000 years ago and 6,000 flint and bone implements which he collected from the 47 prehistoric habitations which he excavated. Besides these he found many fossil fruits which may furnish information as to the character of the vegetation in North Africa 20 to 25 centuries ago.

The wealth of prehistoric material which he found almost wherever he searched in the Sarahs strengthened his belief that the scene of the actual "Garden of Eden" might be found in Africa and his investigations just concluded provided much additional evidence. Included in Pond's investigations was a detailed study of the routes which man has followed in his migrations.

Medal for Aid to Blind Given Vienna Doctor

New York.—The Leslie Dana gold medal for 1929, awarded in recognition of "the most outstanding achievement in the prevention of blindness and the conservation of vision," will be presented to Dr. Ernest Fuchs, of Vienna, at the International Ophthalmological congress in Amsterdam, on September 10. This will be the first time that any other than an American is given this honor, Lewis H. Carris, managing director of the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness said in announcing the award.

"Doctor Fuchs charted the way for all prevention of blindness work accomplished throughout the world in the last 45 years," said Mr. Carris. "He did this when he won the prize at the Fifth International Congress for Hygiene at The Hague in 1884 with his essay on 'The Causes and Prevention of Blindness.'"

Sea Returns $300,000

Ventura, Calif.—A trunk containing $300,000 worth of negotiable securities was washed up by the sea here. The papers were made out to Bartlett Heard and his father, Dwight B. Heard of Phoenix, Ariz., newspaper publisher, who died last March.

Bakes 140,460 Cookies

Bakersfield, Calif.—For eight years Mrs. Dora Wilson has been a charity worker here. During that time she has baked 140,460 cookies. She intends to keep on baking.

Veteran Missing 14 Years Finds Wife Wed

Pavia, Italy.—Luigi Rossi, a mechanician, who was supposed to have given his life for Italy amid the fiercest fighting in the battle of Asiago highlands in 1915, returned to his birthplace recently to find his wife married again and the mother of three children.

Signor Rossi, upon his arrival, was received as one returned from the dead. He said that the Austrians had captured him in a battle 14 years ago and that he had been living in the wildest spot in Bessarabia since the war.

He decided to permit his wife to decide what she is going to do about it.

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